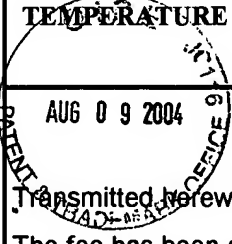

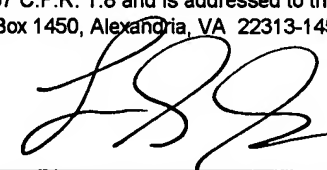


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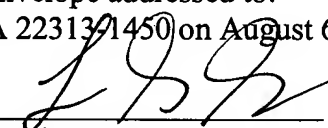
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In response to the Office Action dated May 6, 2004, applicants submit the following amendments and remarks for entry of record in the above-identified patent application. In addition to this submission, applicants have also enclosed a Terminal Disclaimer signed by Robert M. Trepp. Mr. Trepp is an attorney of record who is listed on the original signed Declaration.

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